Single Case Agreement Information for Members with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Request Due May 25, 2016

Background:

The IDD System Redesign Advisory Committee, as required by House Bill 3523, 84th Legislature, Regular Session, 2015, has a role in consulting and collaborating with HHSC on the *Annual Report on Implementation of Acute and Long-Term Services and Supports System Redesign for Individuals with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities*. The Committee has requested that HHSC include information about single case agreements and services provided on a case by case basis in the report.

For the purpose of this request, a single case agreement means an agreement between an MCO and an acute care provider to allow a member to receive on-going services from a provider. Single case agreement does not mean an agreement for a single encounter, such as contract with DME for a one-time purchase. Some MCOs may use different terms for this type of agreement, such as closed panel.

Request:

The HHSC requests that STAR+PLUS MCOs provide the following information below regarding members with IDD enrolled in an IDD waiver or residing in an Intermediate Care Facility for Individuals with and Intellectual Disability or Related Condition (ICF/IID) by **May 25, 2016**. If you have questions, please contact Amanda Woodall at Amanda.Woodall@hhsc.state.tx.us. Please send your responses to Amanda Woodall and copy your health plan management team.

- 1. How many single case agreements each MCO executed for individuals in the IDD risk groups (122 and 123) with healthcare professionals who cared for persons with IDD effective September 1, 2014 through April 30, 2016?
- 2. Of those single case agreements that were executed, how many have since been terminated?
- 3. Of those single case agreements that were terminated, please provide the reason for the termination and whether the termination was initiated by the MCO or provider?
- 4. As stated in Section 8.1.2.2 of the Uniform Managed Care Contract MCOs may authorize services on a case-by-case basis that are outside of the scope of the Medicaid benefit. Please provide examples of these types of services authorized for individuals with IDD between August 1, 2015 and April 30, 2016.